

WASHINGTONVILLE  
LOCAL GLEANINGS

By Peter M. Herold.

## COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

held in the Methodist church Tuesday night started two young men and four young ladies of our village high school upon the great Marathon race of life. Ben Franklin once said that "An investment in knowledge always pays the best interest," and it is this that is the diploma presented to each member of the class by Supr. E. S. Freed is to them a certificate of deposit. Each graduate had a good composition, and for the most part good memory and fair delivery. The lady members were dressed in white. Paul E. Senheller was the valedictorian, and Earl D. Klingensmith was a worthy and successful suitor, for which his father presented him with \$25. Elizabeth Simpson was the first speaker and had "Shadows" for her subject. Paul E. Senheller had "Sublimity" for his theme. "Making the Most of Life" by Myrtle A. Fynes, and "Our Recording Angel" by her cousin Elsie M. Fisher were well received. Earl D. Klingensmith had "Impossibility" for his subject. "Rankin's Motto" was well delivered by Helen L. Thorpe. The church was nicely decorated for the occasion. The board of education, the teachers and relatives of the graduates were present conspicuous seats. The house was well filled and all had well wishes for the graduates. Prof. W. E. Wenner delivered the class address in a pleasing and popular style. Excellent music was furnished by a male quartette from Columbiana and they were frequently encouraged, their selections being of a high order, and the encore was amusing. They will do to travel. Rev. Clark made the opening prayer and Rev. Groves pronounced the benediction. The class of 1909 was equal to those of former years and will pass into local history.

"Plunged in a Gulf of dark despair,  
We wretched ones, who have no hope,  
Without one cheering beam of hope,  
Or mark of glimmering day—since  
The local option election."

Miss Mary Lixuel was home from Salem last week.

Warren Wilson returned from Charleston, Pa., last Saturday.

Alvin Knapp has bought Henry Fuhrman's farm near Midway.

Fred Boser is home from Alliance with carbuncles on his neck.

Andrew Ballantyne, wife and son were here from Leontonia Sunday.

Council will meet tonight to make a law levy and transact other unfinished business.

Thos. Dalrymple is the first in this vicinity to report a mess of home grown potatoes.

The irrepressible Billy Magee was here again last week selling matches, pencils, etc.

Henry Richards of Louisville, Ky., and his brother Will of Alliance spent Sunday with friends here.

Albert and Henry Money of near Canfield spent Sunday here with the Bliger and Tate families.

Mrs. Cal. Peppie and Mrs. McIntosh of Leontonia were visitors Sunday at the home of Herbert Smedley.

Sunday was another pleasant day and F. L. Stouffer's grove drew a good sized crowd to hear the local church choir.

Isaac Berry was here from Sebring Sunday and Monday on account of the Potters' excursion to Rock Springs park Monday.

Rev. Simons of Akron and Rev. Greenwalt of Springfield, two young men well known here, expect to sail for Europe next month.

Salem tourists are so impressed with the fine scenery on Leon and Edward Lixuel's farm that they suggest it for a Y. & O. Interurban park.

Lem Moss of the U. S. Navy completed his term of enlistment last Saturday and was paid off at Manila. He is expected home some time next month.

August Vignoni, who is a graduate of the trustees of Salem township last Thursday for 10 cents each; then spent Saturday and Sunday in Youngstown.

The 33 annual commencement of the Salem township school, under the supervision of Judge Farr at St. Jacob's church near Teegarden last Saturday evening.

Dr. C. W. Tinsley of Youngstown delivered a good speech to the Rose law advocates in the local church Friday night. Rahn prevented a larger audience.

All of the Ohio mine inspectors, including Chief Inspector George Harrison, are attending the national convention of mine inspectors at Soran, Pa., this week.

Miss Muriel McIntosh, a recent graduate of our high school, has been employed to teach in room No. 1 the coming school year. Miss Edith Curry was not an applicant for re-employment.

The Summit Rifle club, on the Y. & O. south of here, is practicing and making a good record. Harry Waddell won the highest score at the last meet, being 366 points and Lloyd Zimmerman second with 245 points.

When Salem gets her wireless telegraph station in good working order she can hear Washingtonville filling orders for blind dogs and spend Friday night in "dry" towns, where Mary Ann can't rush the can, no matter, dear, how dry I am.

Salineville and Lisbon are having their smallest scores, but the "score" will not likely reach Washingtonville soon again. And why get scared? Nobody died from the last "score," but the village treasury suffered \$2,900 worth.

Leroy, the 8-year-old invalid son of Emil Schindler and wife, died at the home of his parents in East Palestine last week Tuesday night. His grandfather, Matt Moss, and family from here, Belmont, Deersfield and elsewhere attended the funeral Friday afternoon.

J. D. Smith & Son are reopening the old "Saltpeper" mine so as to make a shorter entry into their coal field. The air compressor and some other machinery has been sold to the Mahoning & Lake Erie Canal Coal Co. of Cleveland for use in the mine near Loveland.

Jonathan Fuller died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. C. O. Shaffer, in Salem, Thursday evening, aged 79 years. The remains were taken through here Saturday afternoon for interment in the Cherry Fork cemetery west of this place, with Rev. Mr. Fisher of Columbiana officiating.

R. B. Maxwell is building another silo.

Jacob Mellinger is visiting his children in Youngstown.

T. C. Fitzpatrick and wife of Salem visited here this week.

Miss Minnie Stouffer is clerking in the Co-op. store this week.

Next Monday, June 14, will be Flag day. Let everybody display "old glory."

Lambert Carrier and wife were in Sebring Sunday attending the wedding of a relative.

John Frederick, a prosperous Indiana farmer, is here visiting his brothers George, Joseph and Samuel.

Abel Tourdot and Lewis Vignon have rented the old T. R. Lewis coal bank on the Frank Koch farm west of town.

Rev. G. D. Gross, wife and son Edgar of New Springfield attended our commencement exercises Tuesday night.

Mrs. Delany Everett and two sons of Cortland spent a few days at the home of her sister, Mrs. David Kral of artificial silk.

Mrs. Rachel Fox of Salem has been making her home with Mrs. Catharine Herrmann, and will visit Canton friends next week.

An oil drilling machine has been placed on the Chas. Zimmerman place near the Ft. Wayne railroad, east of Franklin Square.

An iron hitching rack has been placed in front of the village look-up, possibly in anticipation of a rushing business with a patrol wagon.

Percy Tetlow was in Steubenville Monday organizing the miners at the La Belle coal shaft, which has been an open mine heretofore.

Master Willie Barton had a large rusty nail penetrate the thick part of his great toe last Friday, and of course he yelled for a few minutes.

Samuel Washington and son William O. P. Moore's residence, built to see his nephew's stone and made concrete cellar steps.

John Odell and Miss Alice King were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents in this village at 8 o'clock Saturday night by Rev. D. L. Clark. They will reside in Steubenville.

The partition wall separating the Rose Hill Lumber Co. and Archie Ferguson's saloon, that was torn away a few weeks ago by Ferguson, was restored by the Mayor and Marshal last Saturday.

William Slater, aged 69, died at his home in Sebring Sunday evening. He was father-in-law of Quinten Ballantyne, and Simon Boltz, city treasurer of East Palestine, died Friday afternoon, aged 70.

Attorney J. E. Paisley of Irondale, O., is here on legal business.

While in town he called to see his nephew, J. N. Paisley, and some of the old soldiers, he having served as sergeant in Co. D, 129th O. V. I. from 1862 to '65.

Wm. F. Glyndon, a former Columbiana county boy, has just been released from the Iowa penitentiary after having served 31 years.

The sorrowful part is that he was sentenced on circumstantial evidence, and it turned out that he was innocent. He should recover heavy damages from the state for false imprisonment.

The Methodist congregation was a little surprised Sunday night by not hearing a temperance sermon, when so many of the local church members are present.

But the pastor stated that he would have done so had he a male audience in greater numbers, there not being to exceed a half dozen voters present. So, instead, he read the 8th chapter of 2nd Corinthians and the 1st chapter of 1st Peter.

Children's day exercises were announced for the 20th.

Monday afternoon when hauling potted flowers from residences about town to decorate the M. E. Church for commencement of the Master Andrew Woods of room No. 3, was thrown from E. S. Freed's wagon on West Main street.

The boy was carried home and a crowd of excited people gathered, thinking that he was either killed or badly injured, but fortunately he escaped with a severe scare.

The wagon had upset upon him and the horse kicked itself loose from the wagon.

Seeing that Leontonia was too modest to honor the Rose option law, Sheriff Davidson took a hand last week and the search and seizure law, as forfeited out by the county detective. An old Irish lad, an Italian, two members of the Leontonia Brewing Co. and others were taken to jail for today before Judge Farr at Lisbon.

Three or four on each language in jail. Prohibition will eventually prohibit, for the county treasury has ample funds with which to pay for all prosecutions.

In the selection of Prof. James Freeman Guy of Wooster University to be president of the N. E. O. Normal College at Canfield I feel assured that the board of trustees made a wise selection.

He is a native of Delroy, Carroll county, Ohio, and I have known him from his infancy to be of studious habits, and alive and energetic upon all subjects leading to his present position. He also has the magnetism to draw other people to his thoughts.

With the cooperation of all concerned the Rose option law should not be a formidable rival of similar institutions elsewhere.

Sunday afternoon, when the small boys gathered in Stouffer's grove pretending to listen to the band play, they stirred up a bumble bee's nest.

One big bee with black and yellow stripes upon his back pretended to be dead, but in fact was only overcome by extreme anger.

The cruel boys took turns carrying Mr. B. by his wings, and when they came to a little German lad they let it drop down the back of his neck.

Old B. awoke in all his anger, got his back against Dutch's shirt and proceeded to put the hookey into him in great shape. Dutch ran around, yelled and rolled over with pain and finally disrobed, and just before the lad went into his somebody uncoupled the boy from the bee.

Rev. East preached an anti-saloon sermon Sunday forenoon that has since been highly complimented for its careful preparation and earnest delivery.

Last Thursday night a man calling himself Prof. J. C. Martin and claiming to have been sent here by the Liberty League of Youngstown at \$20 a speech, but really sold proprietary medicine, gave out the word that he would talk "wet." But the saloon refused to "couple up" the money for music, the professor straddled the fence and spoke for both sides.

Friday night Rev. C. W. Tinsley spoke for the "drys." On Monday night John F. Cussen, a Catholic layman from Chicago, also spoke for the "drys," thus closing a spirited campaign of law and order vs. Bacchanalian revelries.

John Blackburn is working in Alliance.

Peter M. Herold is in Carrollton on business.

Harry Chappel of Salem was here Wednesday.

J. D. Smith and wife were in Youngstown Wednesday.

Miss Clara Welkart was a Salem shopper Wednesday.

A new haulage rope has been installed in the Fairview mine.

Chester Thorp and wife were here on Tuesday seeing his sister graduate.

Mrs. D. R. Lehman attended the funeral of a relative in Salem Wednesday.

Mrs. M. S. Simpson returned to Salem Wednesday after spending a week here.

Monday collecting fines due this village.

Mrs. M. Colebeck was in Salem Tuesday attending the funeral of Wm. Slater.

Teachers were busy this week making out grade papers and lists of promotions.

Some dry advocates from here heard Rev. Billy Sunday in Youngstown Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Manley and Kirkbride of Columbiana attended church services here on election day.

Mrs. Mary Stouffer Mitchell and son James of Conneaut called at the home of O. Bessert Monday.

James Getz and daughter of Salem visited her father, John Wells, in this place Wednesday.

An Italian working at the Cherry Valley coke ovens had both legs taken off by a car of coal passing over him this morning.

Rev. W. G. Harper of Sparta was here Wednesday calling on former parishioners, when on his way from district conference.

After a long strike for greater safety at the Fairview mine, the company conceded demands and the men returned to work Monday.

Cards announce the nuptials of Stanley J. Prior and Miss Alice Blanche Huston at the home of the bride's parents in Leontonia for Wednesday night, June 16.

The school building needs stone steps on the south side, mortar joints need pointing up and the entire exterior needs painting. All this will likely receive attention this summer.

Mayor Moore's criminal docket for last Friday contains an entry of Ohio vs. Elmer Summers, charged with appropriating Alvan Knopp's chickens.

A lawyer from Leontonia represented the state and Attorney Wallace of Columbiana represented the prisoner at the bar. Both parties waived preliminary hearing and defendant was bound over to await the action of the grand jury at Youngstown court under bond of \$200.

It is a psychological fact that no issue is permanently lost that can be discussed upon bended knees. Both churches in this village united Wednesday and held all day prayer services in the Lutheran church.

A different leader had charge of the meeting each hour from the opening until the close of the polls under the Rose option law. The attitude was mostly woman who came and went at their pleasure. Pastors from surrounding villages were also present.

The wet and dry election in the village on Wednesday passed off quietly, the winning party being the dries.

The advent of driven-from-home saloons nearly every voter in this precinct exercised his franchise. There was a total of 133 votes recorded, 55 in town and 78 from the country. The town polling place was in Mrs. Elizabeth Ballantyne's room, where the vote was 37 and the dries 21. The township voted in Gilbert's hardware store, where the vote was 38 and the dries 37, making a total of 177 votes for the wet.

The majority for the wets in this village and precinct. Great anxiety followed the count here to learn the result in other parts of Mahoning county.

**Damascus.**

JUNE 9—Garfield high school commencement exercises were held in the Friends' yearly meeting house in Damascus Friday evening. There were largely attended. There were four graduates—Misses Eva and Maggie White, Elizabeth Batzill and Paul Bennett.

Commencement exercises for Goshen township under the Patterson law were held at the Greenwood school house east of Garfield, Wednesday afternoon. The class was composed of seven graduates—Glenn Bowman, Helen Gunder, Mary Miller, Ralph Ovington, Judith Weaver, Louise Burton and Gladys Shaffer.

The directors of the Butler and Goshen township mutual insurance association held a meeting here Thursday afternoon. The company has sustained three small losses the past week.

A tennis club has been organized at Damascus with Vernon Delzell as president, Leonard Pearce, treasurer, and Miss Lettie McConnell secretary. The group is growing to be an interesting and some fine games between Damascus and neighboring towns are in prospect.

Willow Grove Grange, located about two miles west of here, is building a new hall.

A new school house is to be erected in the Willow Vale district of Damascus in Butler township. It will be of brick and of modern style. The old structure was sold at public sale Saturday.

Henry H. Getz, aged and well known resident of the place, a retired railroad engineer, suffered severe hemorrhage of the nose the past few days and his life for a time was despaired of. At present he is some improved.

Mrs. Marietta Pettit purchased property in Salem and moved to that city on Wednesday. J. P. Danenberg of Pittsburgh, who purchased her property here, took possession the day following.

Attorney Horace Smith of Youngstown addressed an anti-saloon meeting here Monday evening.

George Waters of New Garden, father of W. G. Waters of this place, died Monday, aged 81 years.

**The Grumbler.**

The grumbler is a pest. Such a man can cause a dozen men an hour to feel dissatisfied with themselves and their surroundings. A cheerful man is an angel and a grumbler is a devil.

Atchison (Kan.) Globe.

To avoid serious results take Foley's Kidney Remedy at the first sign of kidney or bladder disorder such as backache, urinary irregularities, exhaustion and you will soon be well. Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy today. F. A. Morris, Canfield.

HERE'S YOUR  
HOT BUDGET

It's over.  
Everybody's thankful.  
Hence plucked the plum.  
How D. F. made Bacchus roar!  
Political fence are all mixed up.  
Party lines are almost obliterated.  
Senator Tod is potent at Columbus.  
Jack and Ed may form a new party.  
Niles received much free advertising.  
Mayor Craver's votes are very popular.

Attorney Barnum will run a dry campaign.  
It was the hottest campaign in our history.  
Tommy Lee is a fierce fighter for a small man.

The papers will now have room for good plate matter.  
It was a most interesting campaign for Frank Marney and his wife.

The man on the monument was the only man who didn't vote Wednesday.  
The bill boards will again resume advertising Cascarets and breakfast foods.  
Through all the noise of battle the Spirit remained as silent as a spiked gun.

The wet and dry meetings over, the parks will have a chance Sunday afternoon.  
Who are the heroes running for mayor, anyway? We have forgotten their names.

Nobody can say after the recent campaign that women are not interested in politics.  
The wets early gave up Canfield as being as dry as the Sahara during a drought.

The way Billy Sunday lambasted Bacchus must have made the Old Boy wise some.

You can't bathe in Mill Creek Park but you can worship Cupid there until you're tired.

A number of politicians wish D. F. had gone to Canada on his annual fishing tour this summer.

The dog fund is busted, the dog-catcher has resigned and canines are wagging their tails off with joy.

There has been an immense amount of plain perjury spoken and printed during the past several weeks.

W. K. Chapman was an old republican war horse who saw many bloody conflicts on the political arena.

The fight did not end Wednesday.  
For many campaigns to come the effects of the recent battle will be seen.

After all this turmoil, heat and quarrelling we are surely entitled to a sane, quiet and bloodless Fourth of July.

If Mayor Craver votes the Chestnut street ordinance a few more times the recent battle will be seen.

If Youngtown overlooked any wet or dry orator of any note in the United States he has the city's humble apology.

It must be evident to every saloonist now that selling booze should be carried on with some respect for public opinion.

Some of the saloons became so pious during the late unpleasantness that 'tis said you couldn't even match pennies for the drinks.

The split between the North and South during the rebellion was a mere microscopic fault in the nation's landscape compared to the fracture in the local republican party.

**North Jackson.**

JUNE 9—Mrs. Gertrude Cassidy spent Thursday with John Cool and wife.

Mrs. Ann Osborn is doing work for Warren parties.

J. I. Manchester and son of Canfield were here Saturday.

Rolla Mohrman is working in Warren.

Carrey Shively of Berlin spent Wednesday here.

El Snider of Warren called here last week.

Protracted meetings are being held in the M. E. Church.

Mrs. M. G. Eckenrode visited here Sunday.

Helen King of Warren visited her uncle, R. E. Flick, and family Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Russell were in Youngstown Tuesday to hear Billy Sunday.

Elgin Middleton and bride spent last week in Geauga county.

Friend Jones had business in Warren Tuesday.

Scott Klingensmith moved to Youngstown Tuesday.

**Gettysburg.**

JUNE 9—Jonas Goodman wife and grand daughter of Apple Avenue called here last week.

Mrs. Michael Durr of Hickory visited at W. S. Clay's Friday.

Kathryn Single of Westville visited friends here last week.

F. L. Crockett, wife and daughter Gladys of Dublin spent Sunday at J. S. Weaver's.

Will Hall and Salinda Schaffernocker of Columbiana called here Friday.

Mr. Shiller of Salem spent Sunday at E. Kenkel's.

Wm. Barnett of Prospect Hill had business at Wm. Hippley's Saturday.

Chief of Police Turner and City Solicitor Ramsey of Salem were here Monday.

Charlie Clay, wife and daughter Lulu of Greenford spent Sunday at W. S. Clay's.

Wm. Getz and Blair Puffinberger of Lansingville spent Sunday with Charlie Getz.

Mina Clay of Canfield is visiting her uncle, W. S. Clay.

Charlie and Everett Getz were in Columbiana Tuesday.

Strawberries ripening.

**New Buffalo.**

JUNE 9—Melville Beard, wife and children visited at Frank Rohrbaugh's Sunday.

Mrs. Adolph Meeker visited relatives in Girard last week.

Mary and Bertha Renkenberger of Columbiana visited at E. G. Moff's last week.

Simon Elser and wife of North Lima spent Wednesday at John Elser's.

Will Ritz and wife of Salem spent Sunday with Mrs. Hendricks.

## Cornersburg.

JUNE 9—The 50th birthday of Mrs. Frank Osborn was very pleasantly observed Friday, June 4, at her home on the south side. The following guests aided in making the day one long to be remembered by the hostess: Mr. and Mrs. Clark Osborn, Mrs. Harry Lyman and son Hugh of West Andover; Mrs. H. L. Sweet of Ashland; Mr. and Mrs. George Osborn and Mrs. Stein and two sons of Andover; Mr. and Mrs. John Zimmerman and son Louis, Mrs. Charles Zimmerman, and Dr. H. M. Osborn of Youngstown; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heintzelman and son Kenneth of New Buffalo; Irvin Yeager and family of Canfield. The day was socially spent. An excellent dinner was served by the hostess, Mrs. Osborn, who was the recipient of a purse of money.

Fred Mayberry and wife of Youngstown were Sunday visitors in the home of Thomas and Wiley Mayberry.

Mrs. G. W. Strook and Miss R. T. Osborn spent Sunday with Mrs. Eliza both DeCamp of Youngstown and in the afternoon attended a meeting in the big tent on Mahoning avenue.

Rumor says a prominent young man on East street is about to take unto himself a wife.

Harry Smith and wife attended the dedication of the new U. P. Church on Market street in Youngstown Sunday.

Paul Jones of Youngstown spent the latter part of his week at the summer residence of Hollin Haven.

Abel Begout spent Sunday with Clyde Gelfer of Niles.

Clyde Corli and family spent Sunday afternoon with Emory Barger of Boardman.

Fred Corli and family of Youngstown spent Sunday at Austin Crum's.

Tod Hall of Crane street was ill with measles last week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hall.

Josh Lynn and wife spent Sunday with Wm. Shirey of Milton.

Mrs. Lucy Osborn is visiting relatives in Youngstown.

Miss Mary Webber and Arthur Morgan of Youngstown spent Sunday at A. S. Lynn's.

Arrangements are being made to hold Children's Day exercises in the Lutheran church Sunday evening, June 20.

Chas. Simms of Youngstown was a Friday visitor of his uncle Wilson Berry of W. M. Chapman.

Bert Hopkins, wife and daughter Vera attended the wedding of Miss Anne Anderson and Rollin Hawn of Youngstown at the summer residence of W. S. Anderson near West Austintown, Saturday afternoon at Jay Glenn's.

John Smith and wife attended the first services held in the new U. P.